

REMARKS

Claims 1, 3, 4, 6-8, 10-28, 31, 33, 34, 36-38 and 42-44 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph.

Claim 1 has been amended to obviate the Examiner's rejection.

Claims 11-28, 31, 33, 34 and 36-38 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103 as being unpatentable over Bjurenwall, U.S. 7,005, 155 in view f Burrows et al., U.S. 4,435,429.

Claims 11-38 and 44 have been canceled. Thus, the Applicants respectfully request that the rejection be withdrawn.

The application is now considered to be in condition for allowance, and an early indication of same is earnestly solicited.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any extension and/or fee that is required to Deposit Order Account 19-0079

Respectfully submitted,



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